

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
1:17 CV 334**

**GEOFFREY TURNER,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**LOWELL S. GRIFFIN, in his  
official capacity as Sheriff of  
Henderson County, and OHIO  
CASUALTY INSURANCE  
COMPANY, in its capacity as  
Surety on the Official Bond  
of the Sheriff of Henderson County,**

**Defendants.**

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**ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on the Consent Motion to File Document Under Seal (Doc. 63), which requests the sealing of Plaintiff's Exhibits 26A, 26B, 26C, and 26D. (Doc. 60).

The Court has considered the Motion to Seal, the public's interest in access to the subject materials, and alternatives to sealing. The Court determines that sealing is necessary in this case, and that less restrictive means of handling the information are not sufficient, as the subject filings reference confidential medical information and personnel records. The sealing ordered herein shall be permanent, subject to further Order of the Court.

Accordingly, the Consent Motion to File Document Under Seal (Doc. 63) is **GRANTED**, and (Doc. 60) including Plaintiff's Exhibits, 26A, 26B, 26C, and 26D, shall be **SEALED** and remain sealed until further Order of the Court.

Signed: July 23, 2019

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "W. Carleton Metcalf", written over a horizontal line.

W. Carleton Metcalf  
United States Magistrate Judge

